

Over the last few weeks, I have been holding townhall meetings with our seniors reviewing the new choices they have under Medicare. To date we have held nine townhalls including the Moorings (Arlington Heights), Lilac Ledge (Waukegan), Lake Forest Place, the Patty Turner Center (Deerfield), the Seasons (Glenview), Springmeadows (Libertyville), the Park (Vernon Hills), Luther Village (Arlington Heights) and Covenant Village (Northbrook). All told, we have held 90 minute sessions with over a thousand seniors and have many more townhalls planned in the future. While our seniors always have concerns about any proposed changes in a government program they depend on, these sessions have gone a long way to clearly outline the new choices seniors have and the key questions they should ask before making their decisions. These townhalls were held just in time because the Medicare Prescription Drug Program will start accepting signups November 15th...